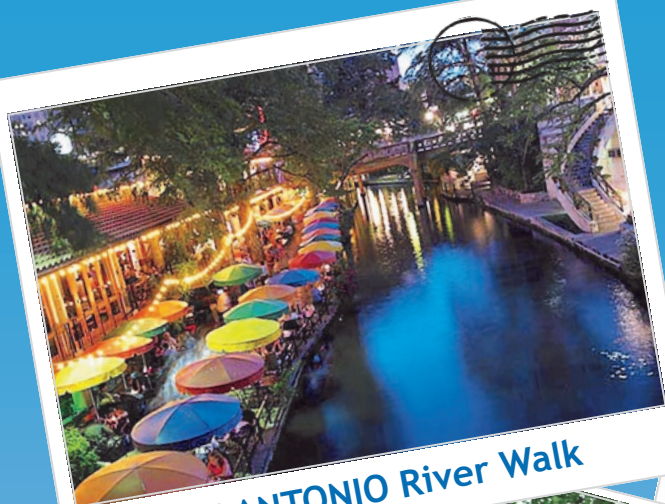


Wish you were here...



SAN ANTONIO River Walk



HOLLAND Tulip Festival



Maggie Mae



Daniel O'Donnell



ARLINGTON PARK

Happy Travelers 2011 Trip Schedule

Fond du Lac Senior Center

151 E. 1st Street Fond du Lac, WI 54935

920-322-3635

- Casino Trips
- Extended Trips
- Musical Shows
- Live Music
- Summer Fun
- Holiday Shows
- Possible Future Trips
- and more!

CASINO TRIPS

Never been on a Happy Travelers trip? Don't worry...Doris will show you the ropes and make you feel welcome!



**Try your luck,
have some fun,
& make new
FRIENDS!**

COST: \$54.00

Includes: \$25 FOR GAMBLING, *FANTASTIC* DINNER, TRANSPORTATION & FUN!

DATE

Thursday, March 31

Thursday, April 28

Thursday, May 26

Tuesday, July 26

Thursday, August 25

Thursday, September 22

Thursday, October 20

DINNER AT

Sunset Supper Club

Schwarz's—St. Anna

Jim & Linda's

Primo's—Oshkosh

Schwarz's—St. Anna

Sunset Supper Club

Jim & Linda's



Leave former Northwest Fabrics parking lot (east of Younkers at Forest Mall): 10 a.m.
Arrive back in Fond du Lac: 7 p.m.

Tuesday, September 6—Wednesday, Sept. 7



Overnight Gambling

Island Resort & Casino—Harris, Michigan
& stop at Oneida Casino on the way, too!

COST: \$95 double \$115 single

Includes: • \$65 total for gambling • \$5 breakfast coupon • Transportation
• Lodging in the Palms Tower Resort • 4 hour stop at Oneida Casino

**See Doris
for details!**

2011 HAPPY TRAVELERS



Sign up for any of these trips ASAP so that we can be assured that the trip will be held.

Be sure to put your name on a waiting list if the trip is full. We often use those names if there is a cancellation.

MARCH

Oneida Casino

Dinner: SUNSET SUPPER CLUB
Thursday – March 31 \$54

We need 20 people to register in order to have a casino trip. Please sign up as soon as possible if you plan to go so that we can be assured the trip will be held and it can be finalized.

New to gambling? Stop by the Travel Office and Doris will fill you in on all of the details. Our casino trips are about fun, food, and friends...and they are a fundraiser for the Senior Center.

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APRIL

Savannah, Georgia

EXTENDED TRIP TO SAVANNAH
WITH DIAMOND TOURS
Saturday—Sunday
April 9 – 17 \$689 DBL

Oneida Casino

Dinner: SCHWARZ'S – St. Anna
Thursday – April 28 \$54

UW Band Concert

Madison
Thursday – April 14
\$69

MAY

Tulip Festival Holland, Michigan

EXTENDED TRIP TO MICHIGAN
WITH HAPPY TRAVELERS
Tuesday—Friday
May 10 – 13 \$470 DBL

Daniel O'Donnell

Waukegan, IL
Saturday, May 21 \$108

Oneida Casino

Dinner: JIM & LINDA'S
Thursday – May 26 \$54

JUNE

"Jersey Boys"

FOX CITIES PAC – Appleton
Thursday – June 2 \$133

Maggie Mae's Barn Dance

Oxford, WI
Wednesday – June 15 \$64

Arlington Horse Races

Arlington Heights, IL
Thursday – June 30 \$52

JULY

Apple Holler

Picnic & Visit Larsen's Bakery
Thursday – July 14 \$68

"Late Nite Catechism"

Fox City PAC – Appleton
Thursday - July 21 \$73

Oneida Casino

Dinner: PRIMO's in Oshkosh
Tuesday – July 26 \$54

AUGUST

Foxy Lady Cruise

Seroogy's Chocolates & New Zoo
Green Bay
Thursday – August 11 \$64

Oneida Casino

Dinner: SCHWARZ'S in St. Anna
Thursday – August 25 \$54

Brewers/Cubs

Miller Park, Milwaukee
Sunday – August 28 \$89

SEPTEMBER

Overnight Gambling

Island Resort & Casino
Tuesday—Wednesday
September 6 – 7 \$95 DBL

Indian Summer Festival

Milwaukee
Saturday – September 10 \$44

Oneida Casino

Dinner: SUNSET SUPPER CLUB
Thursday – September 22 \$54

OCTOBER

San Antonio

EXTENDED TRIP TO SAN ANTONIO
Saturday through Sunday
October 22 – 30 \$709 DBL

Oneida Casino

Dinner: JIM & LINDA'S
Thursday – October 20 \$54

NOVEMBER

"A Fireside Christmas"

FIRESIDE THEATER
Thursday – November 3 \$93

Irving Berlin's

"White Christmas"

Marriott Theater – Lincolnshire, IL
Wednesday – November 30 \$71

DECEMBER

"Christmas Stars"

Xavier Fine Arts Center – Appleton
Saturday – December 3 \$57

Fond du Lac Senior Center Christmas Party

Wednesday – December 7 (tentative)
OPEN TO ALL FRIENDS MEMBERS

CALL:

Doris

Zimmermann

Travel
Coordinator
Fond du Lac
Senior Center

322-3635

AFTERNOONS

Monday - Thursday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

\$10

**DEPOSIT
REQUIRED
to hold
most trips**



SWEET AS A GEORGIA PEACH!



Savannah, Jekyll Island & Beaufort



Saturday—Sunday
April 9—17, 2011

COST: \$689 per person double occupancy
\$889 per person single occupancy
Stop in and pick up a brochure for details!



Get a Taste of Southern Hospitality!

Take a Guided Tour of Savannah, The Belle of Georgia, where the breathtaking Victorian homes embody Southern charm. Then, get an up-close view of one of these beautiful homes.

Island hop to Jekyll and St. Simons Islands. Visit the Millionaire's Club, once a playground for America's wealthy. Enjoy St. Simons Island, a vision of beauty, with its quaint shops and moss-draped oaks. Enjoy a Guided Tour of Beaufort, SC, including a visit to Parris Island Marine Base.

This trip includes the following:

- Spacious, restroom and video equipped Motorcoach Transportation
- 8 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in the Savannah area
- 14 meals: 8 breakfasts and 6 dinners
- Tour of amazing Jekyll Island, Georgia's elite coastal barrier island.
See how America's early millionaires like J.P. Morgan and William Rockefeller lived & played!
- Guided tour of St. Simon's Island where you can take a stroll among moss-draped oaks or shop at the interesting boutiques and specialty shops in the historic area
- Tour of charming Savannah, the "Belle of Georgia," including a visit to a historic and famous home
- Guided tour of gorgeous Beaufort, South Carolina, "Queen of the Carolina Sea Islands"...plus a visit to Parris Island
- **And more!**

**SIGN UP
NOW!**



4 See Doris for complete details.

A WONDERFUL 4-DAY GETAWAY!

Tulip Festival ~ Holland, Michigan **May 10 – 13, 2011 (Tuesday – Friday)**



Double Occupancy: \$470.00

Single: \$655.00 Triple: \$405.00 Quad: \$370.00

A deposit of \$50.00 when you sign up.

Travel insurance is also available: \$41-\$163 (depending on age)

The Tulip Time Festival is a celebration of Dutch heritage and culture, a multi-generational event that has a little bit of something for everyone including: parades, multiple Dutch dance performances, concerts, Dutch attractions, Dutch food, and much more! Enjoy over half a million tulips in city parks, public areas, and along city streets. You won't believe your eyes when you see Tulip Lanes, **six miles of tulips lining Holland's streets.**

On Day 1: **Leave Holiday Inn at 7:00 a.m.** We start with a stop for a delicious breakfast at the Avalon Restaurant (on your own) and then we'll stop for lunch at McDonald's (on your own) before we tour **Tabor Hill Winery** in Buchanan, MI. We will stop at **Four Winds Casino** in New Buffalo for some gambling and dinner (on your own) before going to the **Hampton Inn** South Haven for the night.

On Day 2: After breakfast at our hotel (included) we will depart for Holland. A Dutch costumed guide will give us a **tour of Holland** which includes downtown Holland, historic areas, city parks, windmill tulip lanes and Hope College. At noon lunch is on your own at the **Marktplaatz (Dutch Civic Center)**. There is Dutch food, folk dancing, period crafts and lunch can be inside the Marktplaatz or at the vendors outside next to the parade bleachers. Downtown restaurants are one block away for your Dutch treat lunch. We will have bleacher seats for the **Streetscrubbing & Volksparade**. You'll see colorful bands, floats and Dutch Dance groups with real wooden shoes. Next we'll visit **Windmill Island Gardens** with a 245 year old working Dutch windmill "DeZwan" (meaning graceful bird). There are 36 acres of gardens, canals and picnic areas with more than 150,000 blooming tulips in spring. Supper will be a **Church Dinner Buffet** (included). In the evening we'll enjoy a dynamic musical revue: **"Next Stop: New York City,"** which includes show tunes, Gospel, Jazz, and standards from Hollywood, the Midwest, South and New York City. We return to the **Comfort Inn** after a full day in Holland.

On Day 3: Following breakfast (included), we'll visit **Veldheer Tulip Gardens & DeKlomp Wooden Shoe Factory**. In 1950 Vern Veldheer planted 100 red tulips and 300 white tulips as a hobby farm and today he plants over 5 million tulips. DeKlomp offers Delftware, Dutch pottery and wooden shoes. We'll have a delicious lunch (included) followed by **"Lights! Camera! Action!"** performed by the Evergreen Chorale, the Panning Family Bluegrass Group, the Gramer Family and a male quartet with a band, dancers and a patriotic finale. In the afternoon we will visit a **Dutch Village** which is a step back into the Netherlands 100 years ago. **Church Dinner Buffet** (included) is planned for the evening and the main entertainment is **"The Contours, Marvelettes & Diamonds."** Enjoy dazzling choreography, impeccable harmonies and the ability to play multiple instruments.

On Day 4: **Depart Comfort Inn at 8:30 a.m.** after breakfast (included), we drive 2 hours to Michigan City, Indiana for a tour of **Barker Mansion** and then lunch at the **McGinnis Pub**, an 1887 home turned into a pub. From there we head home with a brief stop for a 66¢ burger at the Kenosha **White Castle** (on your own). The 90 year old fast food chain is a must-do at least once in your life. We will arrive back in Fond du Lac around **6:00 p.m.**

Note that several meals are included but some meals will be on your own.

THE HEART OF TEXAS!

SAN ANTONIO



Saturday—Sunday
October 22—30, 2011

COST: \$709 per person double occupancy
\$949 per person single occupancy
Stop in and pick up a brochure for details!



Call up the spirits of the Wild West, old Mexico, Spanish colonies, and Presidents of the past in beautiful San Antonio. Stand where history was made at the Alamo, discover the Queen of the Missions at Mission San Jose, visit the Lyndon B. Johnson National Historical Park, and more!

In addition, there is plenty of fun and excitement waiting for you at San Antonio's cobble-stoned Riverwalk where you'll shop, dine, and take a scenic cruise down the San Antonio River.



This trip includes the following:

- Spacious, restroom and video equipped Motorcoach Transportation
- 8 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in the San Antonio area
- 14 meals: 8 breakfasts and 6 dinners
- Tour of LBJ Ranch
- Visit to the institute of Texan Cultures and San Antonio Missions
- Visit to the famous Alamo and IMAX Theater presentation "ALAMO...The Price of Freedom"
- Cruise at San Antonio's famous River Walk District
- Also see: the National Museum of the Pacific War, the Cowgirl Hall of Fame and the Will Rogers Memorial Museum
- **And more!**



FABULOUS SHOWS!

Daniel O'Donnell

Saturday—May 21

Genesee Theater, Waukegan, IL

Cost: \$108

Daniel is back! He will again be performing in our area. Only three other rivals have equaled the O'Donnell mania—Elvis Presley, The Beatles, and the Osmonds. Calmness and serenity surrounds him as he sings everything from country western and American oldies, to the Irish songs of his youth. When you enter the theater, you leave the world, with all its ills and tribulations behind, and find yourself in a world of peace and tranquility for about three hours, a utopia you thought never existed. Busloads of people came from Ireland to Branson to hear him because they could not get tickets in Ireland.



Experience Daniel O'Donnell's trademark combination of country music, inspirational ballads, 60's pop and Irish standards. O'Donnell's dazzling voice and his easy-going, entertaining on-stage personality make each live show an exciting event! With ten national PBS Television specials and over 7.5 million albums sold world-wide, this Irish-born musical phenomenon has quickly made his mark in North America. The show will also feature Daniel's longtime



musical companion, the Irish vocalist Mary Duff, as well as The Daniel O'Donnell Band.

Dinner at Avalon Restaurant—Dutch treat.

Leave: 2:15 p.m. Home: 12:15 a.m.



Jersey Boys

Thursday—June 2

Fox Cities PAC, Appleton, WI

Cost: \$133

This show has filled, but please put your name on the waiting list if you are interested. The waiting list is often used due to cancellations.

LIVE MUSIC!



University of Wisconsin Band Spring Concert

Thursday—April 14

Kohl Center—Madison, WI

Cost: \$69

It never gets old.

For nearly 40 years, Leckrone has led the UW Band through football halftime marching presentations, rousing basketball and hockey



games and the annual Spring Concert. The yearly show started its run in 1975 in Mills Hall in front of a crowd of 400 family members and friends. Now, it's held at the Kohl Center for three consecutive nights each April for near-capacity crowds. With professional production, pyrotechnic displays, Leckrone's daring aerial entrances and, of course, our favorite UW songs, the show is a perennial fan favorite.

Dinner at the Sheraton Hotel prior to the concert, with 2 entrée choices (**you must make your choice when you sign up**): **1. Herb Roasted Pork Loin with Honey Thyme Glaze OR 2. Sliced Roast Turkey.** These entrées are served with the following: House Salad with Assorted Dressings, Seasonal Vegetables, Mashed Potatoes, Warm Rolls, Iced Tea, Decaf Coffee and Strawberry Shortcake for Dessert.

Leave: 3 p.m. Home: 1 a.m.

Maggie Mae's Barn Dance

Wednesday—June 15

Oxford, WI

Cost: \$64

Spend a great day “on the farm.”

Enjoy a great meal, sing and dance with

Maggie Mae, and have a “YEHAU!” good time.



Maggie Mae will come aboard our bus to say “Howdy” when we arrive.

Buffet lunch includes: *Salad, 2 Meats, Potato Salad, Vegetable, Roll, Homemade Corn Fritters, Dessert, and Beverage.*

There are picnic tables and chairs to sit down.

Note: There are 12 steps to get into the barn. The barn is at her home, not the café. The café is 20 minutes away.

After lunch Maggie Mae and her band will entertain with 2 full hours of country music—perfect for whirling around the barn dance floor or just sitting back and tapping toes to the music.

After the show, we'll go to see Maggie Mae's Cafe in Oxford and stop at Borud True Value Hardware Store, which has “just about anything.” Travelers receive a coupon good for 20% off any purchase.

Leave: 9:30 a.m. Home: 6 p.m.



LIVE ACTION!



VS.



Brewers vs. Cubs

Sunday—August 28

Miller Park—Milwaukee, WI

Cost: \$89

Take me out to the Ball Game...

We arrive at Miller Park at 11 a.m., allowing for plenty of time to enjoy the goodies at any of the concession stands or get lunch at *Friday's Front Row Sports Grill* at Left Field corner, which overlooks Miller Park and seats more than 300.

Then to our seats for the 1:05 p.m. game time. There's nothing like a baseball game on a summer day and nothing like the exciting rivalry between the Milwaukee Brewers and the Chicago Cubs!

Leave: 9:30 a.m. Home: 5:30 p.m.



Arlington Races

Thursday—June 30

Arlington Park—Arlington Heights, IL

Cost: \$52



Try your luck at a day at the races...



Enjoy a day at the Arlington Racetrack!

A list of the races will be available when you arrive at the track. Our Travel Coordinator can help you understand betting. **Will your horse WIN, PLACE OR SHOW?**

Before the races we'll have lunch at the Avalon Restaurant, Dutch treat. The Avalon is an excellent restaurant with reasonable prices and good service.

We will also stop at the Racine Culver's for dinner (also Dutch treat) before heading home.

Leave: 8 a.m. Home: 9:45 p.m.

SUMMER FUN

Apple Holler Pig Roast Picnic

Thursday—July 14



Sturtevant, WI

Cost: \$68

As American as apple pie...



The Apple Holler was a hit in 2010 and will be even better this summer with a PIG ROAST!

We'll begin with a tour of Larson's Bakery—"Home of Racine's Original Kringle." Next, it's off to Apple Holler for a wagon ride through the apple orchard. Lunch follows which includes: *Pig Roast, Potato Salad, Corn on the Cob, Apple Baked Beans, Homemade Dinner Rolls, Apple Dumpling Dessert, & Beverage.* During lunch, we'll be treated to musical entertainment. There will be time for shopping at Apple Holler after the picnic, before traveling home. What a delicious day!



Leave: 8:45 a.m. Home: 5:45 p.m.



Late Nite Catechism

Thursday—July 21

Fox Cities PAC—Appleton, WI

Cost: \$73

**"You'll laugh until you cry.
You don't need to ask why.
It's a habit forming hoot
and sinfully funny."**



Late Nite Catechism is an uproariously funny play that takes the audience back to their youth. The irrepressible "Sister" teaches class to a roomful of "students" (the audience). Throughout the course of the class, the benevolent instructor rewards the "students" for correct answers with glow-in-the-dark rosaries and other nifty prizes. Naughty students may well find themselves on stage sitting in a corner reflecting on their actions. It is a laugh-filled evening for all cultures, classes and religions.

"A Howling Comedy" – CATHOLIC STANDARD & TIMES **"Uproarious interactive theatre!"** – THE NEW YORK TIMES

Includes all-you-can-eat buffet lunch at the Golden Coral in Appleton before the show.

MORE SUMMER FUN



Indian Summer Festival

Saturday—September 10

Milwaukee, WI

Cost: \$44

A full day of activities: music, food, exhibits, shopping & fun!

You'll see nationally known American Indian entertainers and performers, a Traditional Pow Wow featuring Dance Specials, Honor Songs and Intertribals where everyone can participate; Native American Arts & Crafts: demonstrations and items for purchase; Festival favorites: Traditional Villages from Wisconsin Tribes such as Menominee, Oneida and Ojibwe; the ISMA Music Awards featuring top musical talent from all over the country; and so much more! If you bring your grandchildren, we will waive the Friends fee requirement; however, the \$44 fee is the same.

Leave: 10:30 a.m. Home: 6:00 p.m.

SUMMER PREVIEW: "Finding Beauty Within"

Wednesday—August 3 1:30—2:30 p.m. at the Fond du Lac Senior Center

Karen Hartman, author and participant of Indian Summer Festival, will be at the Senior Center for a program with storytelling and sharing Native American art forms and traditions, including birch bark biting, and moose hair tufting. Bring your grandchildren! This program is FREE but space will be limited. Register as soon as possible by calling 322-3630.



Foxy Lady Cruise, Seroogy's Chocolates, and New Zoo

Thursday—August 11

Green Bay, WI **Cost: \$64**

**Ready to turn a fun day
into a fantastic adventure?**



THE FOXY LADY



A full day of fun visiting the New Zoo, a chocolate factory, and a cruise on The Foxy Lady.

We'll start the day with a visit to Brown County's NEW Zoo. Just wait 'til you see what's in store for you there! The Zoo can be an awesome place to escape the mundane and embark upon 'the wild side' of life.

Next, we're off to our two-hour

afternoon cruise aboard *The Foxy Lady*, where we will be treated to a plate lunch. There's no better place to take in the beauty and charm of the Green Bay area. Vast windows line the luxury yacht, providing spectacular views from every seat in the house. Finally, we'll head to DePere for a tour of Seroogy's Chocolates. Will you be able to resist the temptation of these sweet treats? A perfect end to a delightful day!

Leave: 7:30 a.m. Home: 4:30 p.m.


**SEROOGY'S
CHOCOLATES**
homemade chocolates since 1899

CELEBRATE THE HOLIDAYS



A Fireside Christmas

Thursday—November 3

Fireside Theater—Fort Atkinson, WI



Cost: \$93

Always a holiday favorite—we welcome newcomers to join us for this wonderful show.

This season the Fireside returns to the tradition that has made them the number one choice for Christmas entertainment for hundreds of thousands of people from around the nation and around the world. The all new edition of A FIRESIDE CHRISTMAS was named one of the country's finest attractions by the National Bus Association. This year's show resumes its long history of beautiful singing, breath-taking dancing, gorgeous costumes, rib-tickling fun, and a deeply spiritual commitment to the real meaning of the holiday. It's always original with new songs, new dances, and a new cast, but the heart of the show never changes. It is the perfect way to capture the holiday spirit.

It is, simply, one of the best Christmas revues you'll ever see!

Menu: **Oriental Salad:** Napa Cabbage, Onions, Ramen Noodles, Sesame Seeds, Sliced Almonds and Diced Breast of Steamed Capon tossed in a Soy Red Wine Vinaigrette Dressing; **Freshly Baked Breads** from The Fireside Ovens; **Baked Holiday Ham:** Jones Cherry Wood Smoked Premium Ham with Golden Rum Raisin Sauce served with **Escalloped Potatoes au Gratin;** **Pineapple and Pecan Soufflé,** and **Asparagus Spears with Young Carrots;** **Santa's Chocolate Chimney:** Dark Chocolate Tower filled with White Chocolate Hazelnut Frangelico Mousse, topped with Red Cherries, presented on Crème Anglaise flavored with Grand Marnier; Coffee, Tea and Milk..

Leave: 8:15 a.m. Home: 6 p.m.

Irving Berlin's

White Christmas

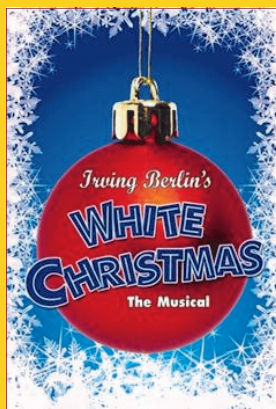
Wednesday—November 30

Marriott Theater—Lincolnshire, IL Cost: \$71

A brand new old-fashioned musical!

One of America's most beloved silver screen classics is now a brand new stage musical – Irving Berlin's WHITE CHRISTMAS. Packed with Irving Berlin hits like "Blue Skies," "Count Your Blessings," "I Love a Piano" and the title song "White Christmas," celebrate this magical time of year with this beautiful new musical.

Lunch will be DUTCH TREAT at the AVALON RESTAURANT in Gurnee, IL. We will also be stopping for dinner at Culver's on the way home (also Dutch treat).



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Leave: 8 a.m. Home: 8:30 p.m.



Saturday—

December 3

Xavier Fine Arts Center—Appleton, WI

Cost: \$57

Come & be thrilled, delighted and inspired!

This spectacular Broadway-style revue features secular and religious holiday music performed by a cast of two-hundred-fifty singers, dancers and actors ages five to senior citizen. Experience the spectacular Christmas parade, a visit to the North Pole and the always breathtaking "Living Nativity" finale. (Performance lasts about 2 hours including intermission)

Family-style lunch at Roxy's in Oshkosh is included featuring: Salad, Roast Chicken, Ham, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Vegetable, Rolls, Carrot Cake & Beverage.

Leave: 10:15 a.m. Home: 4:30 p.m.

POSSIBLE FUTURE TRIPS

LOOKING FOR ADVENTURE?

Waupaca Segway Tour

Approximate cost: \$125 per person for tour, lunch & transportation to Waupaca

Glide through the beautiful, naturally wooded, Chain O Lakes area as you make your way to the Historic Village of Rural, an authentic and highly preserved New England settlement right in the heart of Wisconsin. You'll cross over the Crystal River multiple times as it winds its way through this quaint little village making Rural one of the most beautiful spots in the upper mid-west, and a favorite stop over for Crystal River canoeists. The tour will include an ice cream cone stop at Weller's old fashioned store. Bring your camera to capture the memories of some of most beautiful scenery anywhere! Call Doris if you are interested.



INTERESTED?

If you would be interested in any of these trips for this summer or for next year, please see Doris by May 1st as the planning is being finalized for 2012 trips. To put a trip together yet for this year, we need to do that as soon as possible.

Skydiving

Approximate cost: \$175 per person (\$250 w/video)



How about skydiving as an experience of a lifetime?

Do you need a push out of the plane? (now *that* sounds scary!)

Plymouth Senior Center had 14 seniors go last summer and 7 seniors

from the Berlin Senior Center also went—and one woman was 87 years old! Check it out:

<http://www.youtube.com/user/skydiverpaul#p/search/0/UpFVdr5uX2o>

Fishing on Lake Michigan

Approximate cost: \$300–500 per person

Have you ever gone fishing on Lake Michigan? Those who have done this, say that it is something that they will always remember. This would be a group of 4-6 men and/or women that would go for 3-6 hours.

Here is your chance for some fishing tales to top them all.



African Safari

Approximate cost: \$3,000+ per person

One of the members of our Travel Committee went on a safari and will always remember it. If you would love to do this, let us know and we could coordinate the trip with one of the many trip companies that work with our Senior Center. If you love the zoo, can you even imagine the wonder of seeing animals in the wild of Africa?

There are a variety of tours available—many designed specifically for seniors. If this is on your bucket list, today is the day to call Doris and talk it over. We'll make it happen!



Hot Air Balloon Ride

Approximate cost: \$200 per person

Up, up and away!

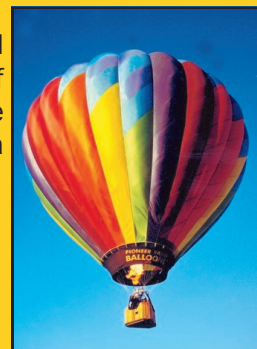
Bring your camera for this special experience. If this is a dream of yours, give us a call. We will make the arrangements, if we have a small group that is interested.

What some have said:

"It was a peaceful and relaxing experience."

"It was awesome..."

"....sight-seeing at its best!"



HAPPY TRAVELERS

OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

The world is a book, and those who do not travel read only a page.
~St. Augustine



Doris Zimmermann, Travel Coordinator

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Fond du Lac Senior Center
151 E. 1st Street,
Fond du Lac, WI 54935

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Doris Zimmermann, the Travel Coordinator, has office hours in the afternoon only... **Monday—Thursday, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.** You **MUST** call to find out about openings by talking with Doris in the afternoon, rather than calling the front desk receptionist.
- You must be a current member of the Friends of the Fond du Lac Senior Center to travel with the Happy Travelers. Annual membership fees are \$10 for a single and \$15 for a married couple. The monthly newsletter, with trip updates, is mailed to you.
- Trip reservations will NOT be accepted over the phone. Remember, you have not confirmed a place on a trip until we have received your **\$10 deposit**. This is not an extra \$10, but is a portion of the trip fee.
- Every trip needs a **separate** registration form. We do this for bookkeeping purposes and appreciate your cooperation by completing this *yourself*. **Forms are available at the Senior Center.**
- If a trip is full, be sure to put your name on the Waiting List as many times there are cancellations.
- Make your trip payment **as soon as you can** so that the trip can be finalized and we will be confident enough travelers are going. Years ago we would ask for payment one month ahead, but *now* we need much more notice to make sure that we will be holding a trip—in fact, several months ahead.



- **Make checks payable to:** Happy Travelers/Friends, Inc.

HAPPY TRAVELERS RULES

Doris Zimmermann, Travel Coordinator Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Phone: 322-3635

ELIGIBILITY:

- ☼ The Happy Travelers trips are open to any person 50 years of age or over, including a spouse who may be under age 50.
- ☼ Persons traveling on our trips must be able to participate in the physical activities necessary on the trip.
- ☼ If you are physically impaired, you will need to provide a special escort.
- ☼ You must be a current member of the Friends of the Fond du Lac Senior Center to travel with the Happy Travelers. Memberships run from January to December of each year and cost \$10 for a single and \$15 for a married couple.
- ☼ Children may be permitted to participate. Talk with the Travel Coordinator about that specific policy.

PAYMENT:

- ☼ A deposit is required at the time of reservation. The deposit fee is \$10.00; however, it may vary depending on the length and type of trip. The deposit is non-refundable or transferable in the event of cancellation. A travel receipt will be issued to you after we receive the deposit. This receipt will serve as confirmation of your trip reservation.
- ☼ Final payment must be made **60–90 days prior** to the trip. It is helpful if you make your final trip payment as soon as possible after signing up. Checks are preferred. We do not accept credit cards.
- ☼ **CHECKS FOR TRIPS:** Make checks payable to: **HAPPY TRAVELERS/FRIENDS, INC.**
Do NOT include Friends Membership fee on the same check as a trip payment.

TRIP RESERVATIONS:

- ☼ **BY MAIL:** Fill out and mail RESERVATION FORM with your payment. Reservation forms are printed periodically in the monthly newsletter.
- ☼ **IN PERSON:** You can drop off your deposits/payments at the Fond du Lac Senior Center.
- ☼ Trip reservations will not be accepted over the phone, but you can call the Travel Coordinator in the afternoon between 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. to inquire about openings on specific trips.
- ☼ A space is **NOT** reserved until we receive the \$10.00 deposit, which is part of the entire trip fee.

WAITING LIST:

- ☼ Names will be recorded. No payment is due until you are notified of an opening. Payment is due at that time.
- ☼ Cancellations are filled from the waiting list in the order in which they were received.

CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS:

- ☼ Report the cancellation to the Travel Office **IMMEDIATELY**.
- ☼ If you find a replacement and report the name change to the Travel Office, you will receive a refund for the cost of the trip. Your replacement needs to make the trip payment to the Travel Office within 24 hours.
- ☼ If a replacement is found by the Travel Coordinator at least **seven days** before the scheduled trip, you will receive a refund for the cost of the trip minus the initial deposit fee. However, if a replacement can not be found **within seven days** of the scheduled trip or you do not show up the day of the trip, **you will not receive a refund**.
- ☼ In the event that a trip is cancelled by Happy Travelers, deposits will be refunded in full.

PERSONAL MEDICAL INFORMATION:

- ☼ If you have a medical condition which requires special medications, treatments, allergies, etc., have this information with you at all times. This is for your safety.
- ☼ It is important for you to complete the emergency contact information on the designated forms.

TRIP DAY:

- ☼ Pick-up point is at Forest Mall, east of Younkers (former Northwest Fabrics area), unless otherwise noted.
- ☼ Transportation to and from the pick-up point is the responsibility of the traveler.
- ☼ Arrive 15 minutes before departure time.
- ☼ Handicapped persons may reserve front seats; all others on a first-come, first-served basis.
- ☼ When you get on the bus you can reserve 2 seats, one for yourself and one for a companion.
- ☼ Report any injuries or accidents incurred on the trip immediately.
- ☼ Your trip payment includes a gratuity for the coach driver.



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**SENIOR CENTER
CHRISTMAS
PARTY**



Tuesday—December 6

Knights of Columbus Hall

**This year's Christmas Party
will be an afternoon event!**

Watch the newsletter in early
fall for more details.

"One's destination is never a place,
but a new way of seeing things."
~ Henry Miller

"Travel is more than the seeing of
sights; it is a change that goes on,
deep and permanent, in the ideas of
living."
~ Miriam Beard

"All journeys have secret destinations
of which the traveler is unaware."
~ Martin Buber

"We live in a wonderful world that is
full of beauty, charm and adventure.
There is no end to the adventures we
can have if only we seek them with
our eyes open."
~ Jawaharial Nehru

"Not all those who wander are lost."
~ J.R.R. Tolkien

"Travel while you can."
~ Doris Zimmermann



**Happy
Traveling!**